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In re the Application of:

Seong-jin MOON et al.

Serial No. 09/610,380 Group Art Unit: 2621

Confirmation No. 4176

Filed: July 5, 2000 Examiner: Thai Q. Tran

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RECORDING MANUFACTURER INFORMATION

ON A RECORDING MEDIUM AND FOR DETERMINING WHETHER THE

MANUFACTURER INFORMATION IS EFFECTIVE

RESPONSE TO CORRECTED NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE AND FEES DUE AND REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF TIMELY FILED INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENTS

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Sir:

Further to the Corrected Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed June 2, 2006, while the Corrected Notice of Allowance states that since the Issue Fee was previously filed in response to the previously-mailed Notice of Allowance no further reply is required, please find enclosed a copy of the Fee(s) Transmittal filed March 21, 2005 and the corresponding date-stamped postcard. As such, the Issue Fee has been previously transmitted and paid. Therefore, since there are no further outstanding requirements, it is respectfully requested that the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office re-apply the Issue Fee to the application above, apply any further fees required in connection with the filing of this Response or to the issuance of the instant application to our deposit account number 503333, and that the application be allowed to issue. Since it has been over a year since the Issue Fee was paid, it is respectfully requested that the issuance of above-identified application be expedited.

Additionally, attached to the Corrected Notice of Allowance, the Examiner submits the same form PTO-1449s already submitted with the Notice of Allowance, but appears not to have included a copy of the form PTO-1449 included with the Information Disclosure Statement timely filed on November 15, 2004. A copy of the Information Disclosure Statement is not again provided, but can be provided if requested.

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It is respectfully requested that the Examiner confirm consideration of the Information Disclosure Statement of November 15, 2004 along with expediting issuance of the patent.

Respectfully submitted,

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Fee(s) Transmittal and form PTO-2038 authorizing the payment of \$1400.00

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